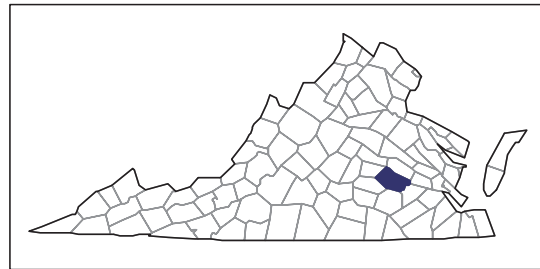


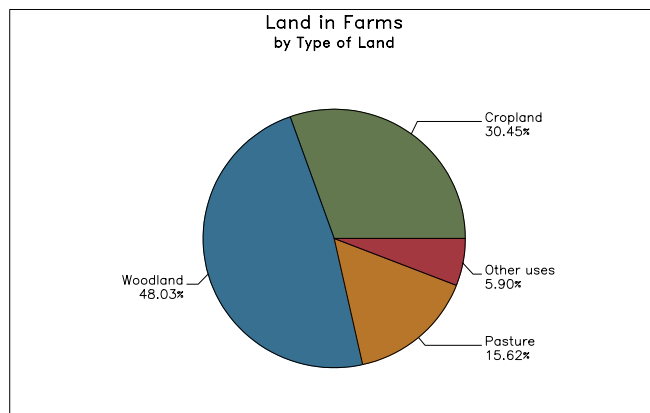
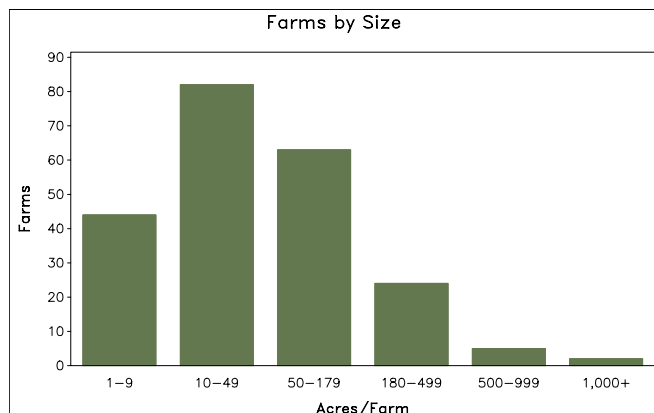
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile



Chesterfield, Virginia

	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	220	214	+ 3
Land in Farms	21,527 acres	23,312 acres	- 8
Average Size of Farm	98 acres	109 acres	- 10
Market Value of Production	\$4,487,000	\$8,679,000	- 48
Crop Sales \$2,166,000 (48 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$2,322,000 (52 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$20,397	\$40,555	- 50
Government Payments	\$65,000	\$72,000	- 10
Average Per Farm	\$2,413	\$2,408	+ 0



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Ranked items among the 98 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	4,487	85	98	2,840	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	2,166	72	98	2,559	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	2,322	72	98	2,745	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	471	57	97	2,162	2,933
Tobacco	(D)	(D)	34	(D)	437
Cotton and cottonseed	(-)	(-)	15	(-)	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	549	22	95	1,024	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	96	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	529	48	94	1,391	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	64	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	227	71	98	2,621	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	96	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	346	79	96	2,859	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(-)	(-)	78	(-)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	22	42	86	1,925	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	95	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	111	37	94	1,613	3,024
Aquaculture	13	28	44	989	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	23	41	94	1,711	2,875
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	15	66	(D)	2,476
Layers	1,612	29	97	1,229	3,024
Cattle and calves	1,584	74	97	2,829	3,060
Horses and ponies	695	44	97	1,851	3,066
Goats, All	678	36	97	1,133	3,023
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	2,604	67	98	2,640	3,060
Soybeans for beans	1,491	47	77	1,463	2,039
Wheat for grain, all	511	51	81	1,835	2,481
Corn for grain	344	73	94	2,122	2,634
Vegetables harvested, all	168	26	95	1,120	2,794

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	112	Farming	98
\$1,000 to \$2,499	30	Other	122
\$2,500 to \$4,999	18		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	19	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	13	Male	155
\$20,000 to \$24,999	8	Female	65
\$25,000 to \$39,999	7		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	(-)	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	7		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	2	All operators ² by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1	American Indian or Alaska Native	(-)
\$500,000 or more	3	Asian	5
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	5,919	Black or African American	14
Average per farm (\$)	26,902	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	(-)
		White	291
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-102	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	-465	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	3

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.